

CITY OF BALTIMORE
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

SPECIFICATIONS FOR MATERIALS, HIGHWAYS, BRIDGES,
UTILITIES, AND INCIDENTAL STRUCTURES

00 51 00.04 RETURN OF CERTIFIED CHECK

A. All bids shall remain open and subject to acceptance at any time for sixty (60) Calendar Days after the award of the Contract to the successful Bidder. However, the City may, in its sole discretion, release any Bid and return the Bid security prior to the expiration of the sixty (60) day period set forth above. The Bid security of the successful Bidder shall be retained until such Bidder has executed the Contract, furnished any required Contract security, and met the other conditions of the Notice of Award, whereupon the Bid security will be returned. If the successful Bidder fails to execute and deliver the Contract and/or furnish the required Contract security, insurance certificates and other required information within ten (10) business days after receipt of the Notice of Award, the City may annul the Notice of Award, whereupon the Bid security of that Bidder shall be forfeited to the City.

B. In the case of Bid checks of less than five thousand dollars (\$5,000), which have been deposited by the City, reimbursement will be made by the City in the amount of said check as indicated above.

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